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## Pros and Cons of Calgary Power Company Agreement are Aply Set Forth in Largely Attended Meeting of Ratepayers

### Town Topics

Miss Doris Baker of Edmonton, spent the weekend here, the guest of Miss Rita Moore.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Lysen on Friday, October 11th, at 3 p.m.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet in the Sunday school room of the United Church on Tuesday, October 15th, at 3:30 p.m.

Miss Mabel Thompson left Sunday night for Rosetown and Leno, Sask., where she will visit with relatives and friends for a few weeks.

The Government is again calling attention to motor drivers that they must carry licenses. If car owners get into trouble it will be their own fault for enough warnings have been given.

Jas. Vickers was confined to the house a few days last week through illness, but his friends are glad to know that he was able to resume his duties at the freight office on Monday morning.

The Cooke Drug Company have purchased the drug stock of J. R. K. Graham at Millet, and in future it will be run as the Cooke Drug Company Store. Mr. Graham is going to manage the store.

C. B. McMurdo returned on Saturday last after spending a month with relatives in Prince Edward Island. He was accompanied by his brother, Rev. Wm. S. McMurdo, and the trip was made by motor. He reports he has had a helpful trip.

The Missionary Rally which was held in the Swedish Mission Church on Tuesday evening last, was a great success. A very large crowd was in attendance, and the church was filled to capacity. The offering and sale of pies and coffee amounted to \$100.25.

Professor Arnold Guebert of Edmonton Concordia College, took charge of the services at Zion Lutheran church Sunday, as Rev. Appelt had not sufficiently recovered from his recent mishap. Both services were well attended and the worshippers heard two inspiring addresses. Mrs. Appelt was still confined to the house on Sunday, but is slowly recovering her strength.

Several Oddfellows of Wetaskiwin attended the District meeting held at Millet on Wednesday evening last, at which Bro. H. G. Finch, D.D.G.M., presided. Bro. Schroeder, Grand Master, was present and gave a very encouraging address. The name of Bro. A. P. Mitchell will be remembered as the one who D.D.G.M. At the close of the meeting an excellent banquet was served by the Millet brothers.

### VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY IN MANSLAUGHTER CASE

The case of Rex vs. Elmer K. Ose, of Roseland, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of James Scott, near Roseland, on August 31st last, was heard before Mr. Justice Ford and jury on Thursday and Friday of last week. The jury was composed of the following gentlemen, namely: D. Humble, Ed. Bullock, George Reid, H. P. Foucar, Chas. Rotvik and Gabriel Dahl.

The deceased was riding horseback along the main travelled road, towards Roseland, on Saturday evening, August 31st, along with a companion, one Gerald Ferguson. Gerald Ferguson was riding along the south side of the east and west road, and James Scott, the deceased, was riding along the north side of the road. The accused, Ose, was driving his car from Roseland, going east. It was eight o'clock at night and dark. Ose went into the box in his own defence and claimed that in trying to avoid Ferguson, who was riding on the wrong side of the road, he swerved to the left and ran into Scott. Scott had his neck dislocated and died instantly, and the legs of the horse were broken. After being out an hour and one-half, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. W. R. Howson of Edmonton, acted for the accused and W. H. Odell for the Crown.

### SAD SHOOTING FATALITY

A sad fatality took place in the Climax district on Saturday when Mr. Bert R. Owens accidentally shot himself while out with two companions. It appears that they had taken a gun out for a hunt, and while sitting on a rising piece of ground, observed a hawk flying overhead. Bert seized the gun, which was lying on the ground, by the barrel, and on pulling it towards him, the charge exploded, lodging in his chest.—Ponoka Herald.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of ratepayers was held in Angus Theatre on Monday evening, to consider the agreement with the Calgary Power Company, in respect to the taking over of Wetaskiwin's utilities. Chas. D. Enman was selected as chairman of the meeting, and after a few preliminary remarks called upon Ald. French, Chairman of the Utilities Committee, to introduce the discussion.

Ald. French referred to the duty of the Council to supply light at the best price as well as an adequate supply of water to the town of Wetaskiwin, with respect to electric energy. The Calgary Power Company, offered \$50,000 for the electric light utility, while the Canadian Utilities offered \$100,000, but this last figure included the gas well. The former offer was considered the better and a contract was entered into with the Calgary Power Company, the details of which were published in The Times a couple of weeks ago. Ald. French then explained that the Calgary Power Company takes everything at the electric light plant excepting the gas well and agrees to furnish an adequate supply of electricity for light and power. They will also change our system to a three phase without cost to the consumer. They will give uninterrupted service insofar as possible and will do so by three lines coming into the city. In case of default the City has the right to take back the light and water systems and the Board of Public Utilities will see to it that a reasonable rate is charged in the repurchase. The Company guarantees an all night service, to replace lamps and to keep the street lights in order, all for \$1,500 less than Wetaskiwin is paying today. Ald. French then compared the schedule of charges in effect with the rates of the Calgary Power Company, showing that a big saving would be effected if the contract is ratified. He also explained the commercial rates and the savings to be effected. The Calgary Power Company will pay a personal tax, but if the Government levies an unreasonable tax rate, they may appeal to the Board of Public Utilities.

The arrangement for meter testing is the same as in effect now. The penalty clause is being criticized but the Board of Public Utilities said nothing was wrong with it. At the present time the City may cut off a consumer, which is a penalty. The Company must supply a statement of their earnings to the Board of Public Utilities, and if the profits are too high, the rates in Wetaskiwin will be lowered. Ald. French also explained the workings of the power rates which will effect savings of over 50% to the larger users. In case of default the Company must continue to supply light and the contract cannot be transferred to another Company or corporation without consent of the Council.

The Company agrees to take all the water equipment, excepting the land, for a price of \$35,000 and possession is given at the time the electric light utility is transferred. The Company must furnish an adequate supply of pure and wholesome water to meet all Wetaskiwin's needs, and they must also meet the requirements of the Fire Underwriters' Association in the matter of fire protection. The alterations they must make will give better fire protection than we have had for years, and they will also supply nearly double the quantity of water we have at the present time. They will make a yearly inspection of the hydrants and when notified of damaged hydrants will replace them. New hydrants will be installed at a rental of \$75 a year, and they will extend the system 700 feet for five new users.

The water rates will remain the same as now in force and no extra charge can be made. The Company will supply meters free of charge and also agree not to apply to the Board of Public Utilities for an increase in rates unless the rates referred to above become exorbitant.

The Financial Situation  
Ald. Ellis, Chairman of the Finance Committee, was the next speaker, and he said there were several ways in which we must look at this agreement and consider the financial position of the town. He pointed out that the agreement was a financial necessity, as we want our taxes to come down instead of being raised. He said that the agreement was a financial necessity, as we want our taxes to come down instead of being raised.

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Miss Lauretta Vickers has accepted a position on the Post Office staff, and commenced her duties a few days ago.

Mr. A. C. Stewart of the Bank of Commerce, St. Paul de Metis, has returned to his duties after an illness of two months.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Chandler left on Saturday for Seattle and other points at the coast, where they expect to spend the winter.

The fire brigade was called out on Sunday afternoon to extinguish a fire which had ignited in a pile of rubbish at the rear of Brody & Co.'s store. No damage was done.

Rev. L. R. Macdonald of Millet, and Rev. A. L. Ellis of the First United Church, exchanged pulpits on Sunday. When Mr. Macdonald delivered a very thoughtful address at the church here.

Mr. J. I. Powell and Mrs. W. Mellett returned a few days ago from attending the annual convention of the W.C.T.U., which was held at Calgary last week. Mrs. Powell was again honored by being elected as treasurer.

A very enjoyable and successful dance was held under the auspices of the Golf Club at the Driard Hotel on Wednesday evening of last week. There was a good attendance, and everyone present reports having had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Eleanor, Evelyn and Roy, returned to their home in Seattle last Monday, after having spent a few days at Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. P. M. Meyer. They have just returned from an extended trip in Africa, Palestine and Europe.

The social afternoon and tea given at the home of Mrs. E. L. Hall on Tuesday by the teachers of the Primary and Beginners Department of the United Church Sunday school was a success in every way. The tea table, cafeteria style, was loaded with refreshments, also the home cooking table. Numbers given by different groups of the Sunday school pupils were very pleasing and greatly enjoyed.

A bad accident took place Sunday evening between 8 and 9 o'clock, when a car backed into a window in the Club Cafe. A young man and two girls from Wetaskiwin, left their car standing in front of the cafe, and on leaving for home was in the act of turning when, instead of going forward, the car was reversed, with the result that the window and frame work were smashed. The damage will be over \$150.00.—Ponoka Herald.

Mr. Miller of Ponoka, with his family, who were returning from Edmonton on Sunday evening, met with what might have been a very serious accident. When six miles south of Wetaskiwin a passing car took off the back wheel of Mr. Miller's car, although the latter was well on his side of the road. The driver of the other car, like most persons of his calling, did not stop to ascertain the extent of the damage done, nor to offer assistance. Fortunately none of the party were injured. A northbound car picked them up and brought them to Rev. Appelt's, where they arrived about midnight. Mr. Burke of Ponoka was communicated with and conveyed the weary party to their home.

### SANFF WINTER CARNIVAL TO BE HELD IN FEBRUARY

Winnipeg, Ont.,—Advice has been received that the 20th annual winter carnival will be held this season from February 1st to 8th inclusive. Miss Owen Smallpiece of Calgary, who was last year elected "Queen of the Carnival" will preside over the revels, and a large entry of outdoor enthusiasts is expected.

### INSTITUTE GIRLS' CLUB

The Institute Girls held their weekly meeting on Tuesday evening, Oct. 1st. The Assistant Supervisor led in a talk on indoor sports, of which basketball, bowling and badminton were the most favorably spoken of by the girls. The girls are anxiously looking forward to the obtaining of some building in which to play and are willing to do their share in equipping it.

The new No. 9000 oil-electric locomotive of the Canadian National Railway is the largest and most powerful of its kind in the world.

### Major Solway Addresses Scouts and Guides Parade

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Turning to the Christian church, the speaker said that we too should have a vision, and be dreamers of dreams, but we should not carry out the vision in a haphazard way, and not go to sleep and keep on dreaming. Action was needed if our dreams were to become real. There was a great need in the world today for men and women to devote their lives to worship and service. Were we trying to make out dreams come true. If we did and went about it in the right way, the church in Wetaskiwin would be large enough to hold all the people who

Major W. Solway, Boy Scout Commissioner, who has recently returned from attending the Scout Jamboree in England, was the special preacher on Sunday at the service at the church, at a parade of the Scouts, Guides and Brownies. The church was filled to capacity, among the congregation being noticed a number of the Tuxis boys, and those who attended were amply repaid by a well delivered address from the speaker.



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of the verb 'swim'."  
Johnny: "Swim, swim, swim."  
Teacher: "Good, now give the principal  
parts of the verb 'dive'."  
Johnny: "Aw, quit yer kiddin'."



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## EDITORIAL

## NOTES AND COMMENTS

Vote for the Calgary Power Company  
by-law on Monday next and give  
Wetaskiwin another boost towards  
prosperity.

The large attendance of burgesses  
at the meeting on Monday evening  
was evidence that the proposed sale of  
Wetaskiwin's light and water utilities  
is a very live question. After hearing  
the arguments so forcefully presented  
by three Aldermen, giving reasons  
why the agreement should be ratified,  
and also Mayor Montgomery's state-  
ment as to why the contract should be  
rejected, the voters should now cast an  
intelligent ballot on Monday next.

All voters should exercise their  
franchise on Monday next. The ques-  
tion to be decided is the most impor-  
tant one ever presented to the rate-  
payers and everyone eligible to vote  
should express his and her opinion at  
the polls.

The Calgary Power Company repre-  
sentatives state most emphatically  
that if the by-law is defeated on Mon-  
day, never again will they offer the  
City so favorable a price for the utilities.  
Keep this in mind when con-  
sidering Mr. Worsley's statement that  
the City should turn the by-law down  
with the hope of getting a more favor-  
able proposition from the Company.

Do you want the Council to spend  
upwards of \$50,000 in the near future  
to put the light and water systems in  
efficient shape, with the inevitable  
result that taxes will be increased? If  
so, defeat the by-law on Monday next.

If the by-law is defeated on Monday,  
every other city, town and village in  
Western Canada will shortly have an  
advantage in rates over Wetaskiwin.  
The result will be a slump in property  
value; people will not settle here,  
possibly many residents will leave  
Wetaskiwin to take up their residence  
in towns where living is cheaper, and  
those who are compelled to remain  
here will be obliged to carry a heavy  
additional financial burden.

By ratifying the agreement on Mon-  
day and thus linking up and co-ordi-  
nating with the Calgary Power Com-  
pany, Wetaskiwin stands a good  
chance to have manufacturing con-  
cerns locate here when an unlim-  
ited amount of cheap power can be offered  
as an inducement. The defeating of  
the by-law will mean that no indus-  
tries will locate here.

The Calgary Power Company repre-  
sents to furnish an adequate supply  
of pure wholesome water at no higher  
rates than are paid at the present  
time for the meagre supply we are  
getting. As the Council has been un-  
able to give us an adequate quantity  
of water after the expenditure of  
many thousands of dollars, let's try  
the Calgary Power Company.

A vote in favor of the by-law is a  
vote for Wetaskiwin's future welfare.

The Calgary Power Company have  
voluntarily reduced its rates in two  
or three other towns in Alberta re-  
cently, where good profits were made.  
If they take over Wetaskiwin's utilities  
and they do not make a voluntary  
reduction, if the profits are excessive,

the Board of Public Utilities will pro-  
tect the interests of the consumer by  
ordering a reduction to be made. There  
is, therefore, no danger of excessive  
rates being charged.

Of the members of the Council who  
have carefully studied the contract for  
several weeks all the six Aldermen  
are now strongly in favor of the  
by-law, the Mayor only being opposed.  
Six to one in favor of the by-law!

Will the ratepayers lose the oppor-  
tunity of getting cheap light and  
power by voting against the agree-  
ment on Monday? It may be the last  
chance, so give this matter serious  
consideration before casting your bal-  
lot.

Vote for your own interests and the  
betterment of the community by  
supporting the by-law on Monday, Octo-  
ber 14th.

## IS IT WORTH WHILE?

Is it worth while for Canada to save  
\$22,000,000 each year, which sum is a  
moderate estimate of the annual  
value of the infant lives lost each year  
in this country?

It is difficult to place a money value  
upon human life, because, in the first  
place, it seems a cold and heartless  
thing to do. We rather resent the fact  
that anyone should think of our own  
children as having a dollar value.  
Then there are such human elements  
as mother-love expended upon a child  
which are beyond any measure of value.

If, however, we think of the ques-  
tion in an impersonal way, we do find  
certain interesting facts. It requires  
money to feed, house, clothe and edu-  
cate a child. There is, as it were, an  
amount of money invested in every  
child. When the child grows to be an  
adult and begins to earn money, he  
then becomes an asset, and to the extent  
that he earns more than is re-  
quired for his bare living, he is paying  
dividends upon the money invested in  
him.

An eminent American statistician,  
taking these points into consideration,  
has found that the value of a child at  
birth is over \$9,000. This sum invest-  
ed would bring in the money required  
to rear the child and the net income of  
his earnings years.

Upon this basis which we believe is  
sound and reasonable, we find that the  
twenty-two thousand babies who die  
each year in Canada have an economic  
value of over \$22,000,000. This repre-  
sents a drain upon our national re-  
sources to an extent which justifies  
national consideration.

Public Health work is not a matter  
of sentiment; it is essentially the  
expenditure of certain established  
lines of proven value. Public Health  
work pays a dividend far beyond  
what is paid on any other invest-  
ment. At least one-half of the \$22,  
000,000 now lost each year can be  
saved through providing the neces-  
sary public health services. Is it  
worth while?

Questions concerning health, ad-  
dressed to the Canadian Medical As-  
sociation, 184 College Street, Toronto,  
will be answered personally by cor-  
respondence.

## DO YOU KNOW

Do you know that the Lord's Day  
Alliance of Canada is this year cele-  
brating its 40th Anniversary, organiza-  
tion having taken place March 21,  
1889, in the City of Ottawa?

Do you know that Canada has the  
best Sunday law in the world?  
Do you know that the Lord's Day  
Act deals with one question only,  
the weekly rest day, that it does not di-  
cate as to how Sunday is to be used  
either for religion or for recreation?

Do you know that the Lord's Day  
Alliance is the only organization in  
Canada guarding Sunday for rest and  
the cultural opportunities which it  
affords, and that in this it has the  
endorsement of all the Protestant  
Churches in Canada?

## COMMUNICATION

(We do not necessarily endorse the  
sentiments advanced by this or any  
other correspondent under this head-  
ing.—Ed.)

MAYOR MONTGOMERY GIVES  
REASONS WHY THE CALGARY  
POWER COMPANY AGREEMENT  
SHOULD BE DEFEATED

To the Burgesses of the City of We-  
taskiwin:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On October 14th you will be given  
the opportunity to vote for or against  
the agreement authorizing the pur-  
chase by the Calgary Power Company  
of our Electric Light System, includ-  
ing the Power Station and transmis-  
sion lines throughout the City, to-  
gether with our complete Waterworks  
system, and in the event of the sale  
being approved, the Company would,  
for the next ten years, on certain  
terms and conditions, supply the  
Citizens with Light, Power and  
Water. The agreement has been met  
with a great deal of opposition in the  
Council, but a majority of the mem-  
bers favour them as now drafted,  
and as they will be voted on, the  
advantages claimed by those favoring  
the acceptance of the Calgary Power  
Company's offer are cheaper Light  
and Power and the avoidance of fur-  
ther expenditure by the City in im-  
proving or extending the light and  
water systems.

The citizens generally are not fam-  
iliar with the provisions of these  
agreements, nor are they fully in-  
formed as to the present position of our  
Utilities as well as their future pos-  
sibilities, and in order that they may be  
better able to decide as to whether we  
should sell them or continue to oper-  
ate them as a Municipal enterprise, I  
feel I should furnish you with what  
information I can in this connection  
and point out some of the objection-  
able features in the agreements, to-  
gether with some of the reasons why  
we should vote against them.

Price Entirely Too Low—Taxation

Higher As a Result

In the first place their offer of \$90,  
000.00 for the Electric Light and  
Power System and \$35,000.00 for the  
Waterworks System, is entirely too  
low. A resolution to have them valued  
by a competent engineer in order that  
the ratepayers would have some definite  
idea as to what we should get for  
them, was voted down by the Council.

From valuations made by our own  
officials, based on very conservative  
estimates, they represent a present  
day value of approximately \$300,000.00  
and in my opinion that is the price we  
should get for them, and no deal  
should be closed for anything below  
this figure. The Company's offer is less  
than half what they are worth. If we  
should we dispose of them at such a  
price, we would be giving away a great  
deal of money, and their earnings will  
permit of a capitalization of this  
amount. By voting for the agreement  
and thus accepting their present offer,  
the ratepayers of the City stand to lose  
\$175,000.00, which sum if made  
available to retire debentures falling  
due during the next twenty years,  
would mean a reduction in taxation of  
over 8 mills yearly during that period.

The Calgary Power Company re-  
cently paid the Town of Camrose  
\$170,000.00 for their Electric Light  
and Water Systems, and anyone  
familiar with conditions there will  
have no hesitation in saying that they  
are by far the best and most valuable,  
yet the Company has offered us \$45,  
000.00 less than the amount paid to  
Camrose. If they paid us \$130,000.00  
more than the Camrose price they  
would be nearer the actual value of  
our Utilities.

The Power Station in Camrose is  
worth little as good or as valuable as  
the Wetaskiwin Plant. Their distribu-  
tion system is of a standard vary  
below ours and the Calgary Power  
Company is now engaged in rebuild-  
ing the entire system at a very large  
expense. Their electrical machinery  
has a generating capacity of 325 k.w.  
as against ours of 550 k.w. is not as  
efficient nor nearly as valuable.

Their Waterworks System is not to  
be compared with ours, either in ex-  
tent, in pumping facilities, in water  
supply, in efficiency, or in value. The  
Western Canada Fire Underwriters  
Association recognizes this and the  
rate of insurance in Wetaskiwin is  
lower than Camrose by 45%.

The Calgary Power Company is also  
forced to spend an immense sum of  
money, nearly \$300,000.00, on the  
Camrose Water System by construct-  
ing a ditch or watercourse over nine  
miles long to tap a big slough or lake,  
besides building a large dam and res-  
ervoir to augment and make available  
a sufficient supply of water for their  
requirements. On top of it all, the

water has to be filtered, purified and  
chlorinated, before it is fit for human  
consumption, all of which forms a  
striking contrast to the situation in  
Wetaskiwin, with its pure, clear and  
undisturbed water and an adequate  
source of supply within the immediate  
vicinity.

The Calgary Power Company paid  
Lacombe \$55,000.00 for their Electric  
Light System which, when compared  
with \$90,000.00 they are trying to buy  
ours for is only another example  
which proves their offer to us should  
not be entertained.

The lowest price we should con-  
sider accepting is the amount still ow-  
ing on the Light and Water Systems  
which on the 31st of December, 1928,  
amounted to about \$225,000.00. Any-  
thing we receive below that figure  
will be a dead loss and will have to  
be made up by the ratepayers of the  
City. Surely we are going far enough  
if we lose all we have already paid on  
these Utilities and the very least we  
should demand of the Company would  
be that they assume the remaining  
indebtedness and relieve the taxpay-  
ers of further liability. Otherwise un-  
til the debentures are fully retired,  
which will take 32 years longer, we  
will have to tax ourselves to meet the  
loss sustained should we accept their  
offer now before us.

It appears to me that the Company  
is trying to put one over on us in the  
matter of price, and that we are not  
being treated fairly in this respect or  
in proportion to the two places above  
mentioned. Serve them with notice  
by voting against the agreements that  
they must come through with a better  
proposition if they expect to com-  
mand the favourable consideration of  
the Wetaskiwin ratepayers. Remember  
we are situated in a most strategic  
position in their sphere of develop-  
ment. They are most anxious to se-  
cure control of our Utilities. Why  
should we give them away at anything  
less than their present value.

So much for the price. Now we will  
deal with some of the objectionable  
features of the agreement from the  
standpoint of the Wetaskiwin rate-  
payers and consumers of water, light  
and power.

Our Legal Right to Sell Utilities and

Enter Into Contract Doubtful

Our Solicitors have with some hesita-  
tion come to the conclusion that they  
believe we have a right to sell our  
Utilities and grant a franchise to the  
Company for the supply of light and  
water.

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and power.

We now make a flat charge of  
\$3900.00 per year for street lighting.  
Under the agreement the Company  
would charge \$2400.00 for the present  
number of street lamps in use, and we  
are compelled to have, at least 60  
(Camrose, by the way, is only asked  
to have in use 50, another evidence of  
discrimination). Every additional  
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tribution system must pay 20 cents  
per month for each additional 100 feet  
and this extra monthly payment is  
continued as long as the Company  
retains the franchise. The City makes  
no charge in cases of this kind, nor do  
they make any extra charge for addi-  
tional street lights added from time to  
time. More lights are constantly be-  
ing added, and it is most desirable  
that in the near future a better street  
lighting system should be installed in  
the business section, and as the Com-  
pany charges from \$3.00 to \$3.90 per  
month for each light, the saving of  
\$1500.00 over our present charge as  
above outlined would quickly disap-  
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Light and Power Rates Deceptive.

Much Higher Than Schedules

Would Indicate

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up to a very considerable sum in the  
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tion to the regular power rates. Some  
years ago the City charged a meter  
rental of 25 cents per month. This  
charge was so obnoxious to the con-  
sumers that it had to be cancelled.  
This service charge is on the same

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and we will be depending absolutely  
on outside sources for our Light and  
Power, and we may be minutes, hours  
or even days without these services.

Street Lighting Eventually to Cost  
More

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Had to Give Up  
Her Housework

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bed. I got so bad I had to give up my  
housework and go to bed."

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liniment but got no relief."  
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started taking them and after I had  
taken four doses I began to feel I was  
getting some relief, and before I had  
finished the box my back was entirely  
better."

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# "SALADA" TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

## COMMUNICATION

(Continued from Page 2)

establishments such as stores, offices, hotel, restaurants and all other places not used exclusively for residential purposes, the Company is not satisfied with a service charge of 60 cents per month, but propose to put into effect a complicated system understood by few outside of themselves and the service charge will be based on the installed capacity, and it becomes a real burden in many instances.

They further discriminate against commercial users by charging them more for current than in the case of residences, for they must consume a much larger quantity of electricity before receiving the advantages of the lower rate schedule.

### Minimum Rates for Power Increased

200 Per Cent

The Power rates are not out in the agreement also provide for a service charge, but in this case it is \$1.00 per Horse Power per month and this has to be paid over and above the cost of current consumed, with the result that instead of getting Power at 3 1/2 cents as generally understood, it will cost every consumer several times that amount. The Company also charges a minimum rate of \$3.00 per month for power. The charge made by the City in this connection is only \$1.00 per month. Comparing the proposed rates of the Calgary Power Company with the rates now in effect in the City, we find that 35% of the Power users are

now served cheaper than they will be if the Company takes over the franchise.

### Small Consumers Penalized

Their schedule of rates both for light and power penalizes the small consumers where in most cases from financial necessity they are economical in the use of current. The extra cost to consumers brought about by the service charge and increased minimum rates is robbing the poorer families to swell the profits of Eastern financial magnates who own and control the Company. I do not believe the ratepayers of Wetaskiwin will stand for this principle as embodied in the agreement.

### Rates May Be Raised

The Company is most anxious to have us believe that they will not ask for any raise in rates. In fact they were willing to insert a clause to that effect, but we were informed by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that they would not approve of a provision of this kind. However, the Company has a way of sidestepping the contract. They protect themselves by adding nullifying clauses, and they have done so in this case.

### Here is the Joker

They may apply for increased rates for Water, Light and Power if the Dominion, Provincial or Municipal authorities impose new taxes on the Company. They even go further than that. They have the right to ask for higher rates if the mill rate in the City is materially increased or if the Company's property in the City is unduly assessed. Why should they be treated differently to other taxpayers and be given preferential treatment in matters of this kind is beyond comprehension. They have the privilege of appealing their assessment if they consider it too high, the same as any other taxpayer, and if the mill rate goes up they should be made to pay the same as anyone else.

### Company Requires Larger Deposits

Every consumer of Water, Light and Power, whether owner or renter, will be compelled by the Company to put up a deposit equal to twice its monthly minimum charge. The City now requires a deposit equal to only one month's minimum charge, and consumers owning their own property do not have to put up any deposit. If the agreement is approved by the ratepayers, this increased deposit will

mean an added burden to all consumers.

The Company will only extend its lines 250 feet for each new consumer. Any distance beyond that, the consumer must pay for on-charge, the cost of the extension and shall also pay interest to the Company at the rate of 12% on the total cost of the line notwithstanding the fact that he has already paid half the cost himself on which the Company allows him only 4% interest. As an example of high financing, this cannot be surpassed.

Exorbitant Reconnection Charge of \$7. Objectionable as many clauses in the agreement are, they fade into insignificance when compared with the one which permits the Company to make a reconnection charge in case the consumer neglects to pay his bills promptly and is out of for non-payment. Before the Company can connect him up again he must pay them \$2.50 for light and \$4.50 for water, or a total of \$7.00 for the two services. This is in the nature of a penalty and is never paid back to the unlucky consumer. We might not have much sympathy for the person who can pay his monthly rates on time and thoughtlessly puts it off, but it is entirely different with the poor fellow who through sickness or temporary loss of employment cannot pay up and is cut off. It will no doubt mean in many cases that the City will have to come to their aid and use the ratepayers' money to help the unfortunate one.

Whereas if they could be carried along for a few weeks, as the City now does in cases of this kind, they would pay up all their arrears and not be penalized with an exorbitant reconnection charge. The City makes all reconnections free, and this is as it should be, but the soulless Corporations must take their pound of flesh at the expense of the poor and needy. Do not sanction a heartless, callous, cold-blooded provision of this kind by voting for the agreement.

### Will Be at Mercy of Company

At the end of ten years the contract can be renewed or cancelled. By that time we will be practically at the mercy of the Company and will have to accept almost any terms they see fit to offer us. All that will be left will be the distribution system, which if not kept up to an efficient standard will greatly depreciate in value. All our generating machinery will be gone and what we are giving away today for almost nothing will cost thousands of dollars to replace.

### Company Does Not Guarantee Ample Supply of Water

Another strong talking point used by those favoring the agreement is that the Company guarantees us a supply of water. In reading the contract over that would appear to be the case, for time and again it is stated and reiterated that they will furnish constantly, continuously and without interruption an ample and adequate supply of water for general use, for street sprinkling, sewer flushing, fire protection and all other requirements, and that they will give an efficient and uninterrupted service and will at all times maintain sufficient pressure to effectively fight a fire in the top story of the highest building in the City. This all sounds fine. But again the Joker is trotted out. Nullifying clauses are once more added and we find that if through any accident or other cause the Company is prevented from fulfilling its promises and pledges are of no force and effect. But this is not all. They go much further and the agreement provides that in the case of unusual frost or drought they will not agree or be bound to furnish water for street sprinkling, sewer flushing or fire protection. Imagine our position when we cannot even compel them to furnish water for extinguishing fires. Can you beat that? Under these conditions we will be infinitely worse off than now, for it is only in cases of unusual frost or drought that our water supply is curtailed and then we have always seen to it that sufficient water for fire protection is available.

### No Pumping Standby. Fire Insurance Rates May Be Increased

It is the intention of the Company to electrify the pumps in the pumping station and in the event of an interruption in the power supply we would be without water as long as the interruption lasted. Imagine our predicament if a fire broke out at such an occasion. We would be absolutely at the mercy of the supply failed for any length of time. Interruptions generally occur during a big storm which is the danger period for fires. The transmission lines could be blown down and remain out of commission for an indefinite period or some other serious

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Corporations operate the people pay for the system but the ownership remains with the Company. How nice to have someone else pay for a property and present it to you free of debt.

Power Plant Should Not Be Closed. Our Power Plant will be closed. This is the only manufacturing industry we have. It will mean a loss in payroll of over \$10,000.00 yearly, all of which is spent in Wetaskiwin. There will be a loss in population, a loss to the coal miners, a loss to the C.P.R., to the teamsters, to the insurance agents; in fact every person in Wetaskiwin will suffer a loss directly or indirectly.

### What of the Future?

Now if this proposed agreement with the Calgary Power Company is turned down, what will be the result? They will have an opportunity if and when they so desire of submitting another proposition that, as to price, terms and conditions would be acceptable to the ratepayers of the City.

In the meantime our own power plant is doing splendidly. In fact never since its inception has the net earnings been as large as during this year. The new engine and generator will soon be paid for and the debt due to the City will be paid off. The debt is getting lighter every year, disappearing almost entirely in five years' time. The light and power rates can be greatly reduced within the next few months so that they will compare very favourably with those offered us by the Company, to be followed by still further reductions from year to year as the annual debt payments become smaller.

Expense costs can be still further decreased by a small expenditure for the purchase of pumping machinery to bring our No. 2 gas well back into production or a new gas well can be drilled. Wetaskiwin is situated on a proven gas field and another well would enable us to generate current at a price which would permit the putting into effect a schedule of rates for light and power considerably lower and more attractive than those offered us by the Company. The increased business we would secure would pay many times over for the cost of the well and every electrical consumer would benefit.

A comparison of rates will convince anyone that we can never expect to compete with the larger cities in Alberta by tying up to the Calgary Power Company but we can meet this competition with gas engines such as we now have and gas wells of our own.

From reports received during drilling operations it would appear that gas in considerable quantity was found with the larger gas well in Alberta by tying up to the Calgary Power Company but we can meet this competition with gas engines such as we now have and gas wells of our own.

There is nothing in the contract to prevent the Company from supplying us with surface water if they see fit to do so and thus put us on a par with other places where the water is barely fit for human consumption and just gets by the Health Authorities.

### Many Objectionable Features

There are other objectionable clauses that should be called to the attention of the ratepayers. The agreement prohibits the City at any time from taking more than a reasonable quantity of water for street sprinkling and sewer flushing. In dry weather, therefore, when water is needed to lay the dust, the City cannot prevent the City from taking what it needs.

There is no reduction in the water rates. They are just the same as now prevail.

No consumer of water is allowed to give any water whatever to any person not a customer of the Company. If they do so they must pay the Company \$2.50 per month for each person so accommodated.

For any Fire Hydrant hereafter installed by the Company the City will be compelled to pay an annual rental of \$75.00 for each Hydrant. It is desirable that several more Hydrants be put in and we can soon run up a large yearly expense in this connection. Hydrants cost about \$125.00 each, and during a ten year period we would pay a total rental of \$750.00 for each one installed. This is a gross injustice and only another sample of what the Company will do to us when they get the chance.

### Departure From Public Ownership

There are numerous other factors we should take into consideration in coming to a decision regarding this Agreement. If it is approved by the ratepayers and our Utilities handed over to the Calgary Power Company it means a departure from the principle of Public Ownership which is the greatest stabilizing influence in this country today and is the only barrier between the forces of monopoly and the rights and liberty of the people. It is just as successful in conducting its business as are private corporations and in Canada especially it is making headway rapidly. It needs no stretch of imagination to foresee what will happen in Alberta when the Power Trust succeeds in securing complete control as it is trying to do. They will call the tune and the people will pay the piper. Furthermore the administration and management of the Utilities passes from the control of the ratepayers and anyone who has lived where they are under the domination of a private corporation knows what this means.

Another point almost invariably lost sight of and one which we must keep prominently before us is that whether the Utilities are publicly or privately owned the ratepayers eventually pay for their entire cost, but with this striking difference. Our utilities, when paid for, whatever their value at that time, belongs to us. Wherever private

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cheapest method in the end or short term debentures could be issued. The yearly saving in operation through this outlay would provide a fund sufficient to make all necessary future replacements without securing money from any other source.

### No Saving in Taxation. Would Be Substantial if Fair Price Received

There are some false impressions prevalent amongst the ratepayers that should be corrected. Some are of the opinion that our taxes will be greatly reduced if we sell the Utilities. The money received from the sale must by law be applied first on paying off any current liability, owing by the Utilities and the balance used to retire their debentures. The money cannot be spent for any other purpose. After allowing for expenditure now provided by these Utilities there will be no saving to the taxpayers, but on the other hand (taxation will be somewhat increased. As pointed out in the first part of this article the taxes could be greatly reduced if we received a price equal to the present day value of both systems.

### Utilities Not Out of Date

Another impression, prevailing, that the old systems are out of date, and that the water system is in a very bad condition. As regards the light plant our new gas unit is one of the best manufactured in the world, and is right up to date. The steam unit, used as a standby is, for a plant the size of ours, as efficient as any now on the market with possibly one exception. Although our waterworks system has been in operation for about 20 years the engineering principles underlying its construction are the same as practiced today. Some improvements and replacements should be made, but the cost would not be excessive.

### Another opinion frequently expressed

is that we are faced for years with a 20 cent light rate. Notwithstanding that we are operating under conditions that can be improved the earnings this year of our light and power system will permit of a large reduction in rates effective not later than December 31st next. The City in splendid Financial Condition. Still another impression is that the City is in a bad financial position and not likely to get permission to issue

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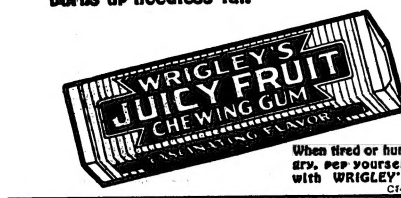
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Tuesday morning it was discovered that Green's Ltd. goods' furnishing store had been robbed. The robbery was easily planned. A stone thrown through the plate glass in the front door, and a hand inserted through the hole, the door was easily opened.

A rough check up showed that from ten to twelve suits of clothes had been taken, four or five machines, four or five overcoats and a number of ties.

The parties must have had some knowledge of the store arrangements, as the work was done in a very systematic manner, only certain curtains and covers being moved.

The estimated loss of Green's Ltd. will be in the neighborhood of \$400. This is the third time in a few years that this store has been robbed, twice in the time when Mr. T. J. Durkin was proprietor.

It was also found that the locks on the gas pumps at the Clark garage had been broken, and a supply of gas taken.—Ponoka Herald.

## MUTINY IN PENITENTIARY

Canon City, Colo., October 4.—Thirteen men, seven guards and six convicts, are dead, after a 15-hour riot at the Colorado penitentiary, which ended here today.

Prison officials entered cell house No. 3 in which inmates had barricaded themselves since yesterday, and found the bodies of seven men.

The officials said the position of

the bodies indicated that Danilo Danilo, ring leader of the mutiny, had killed six of the men and then committed suicide.

Three guards, previously reported dead were found alive, setting the toll of the riots at 13 deaths.

Previous to the finding of the bodies in the cell house, six bodies had been taken to Canon City morgue.

Warden F. Eugene Crawford estimated damage to the penitentiary would be about \$300,000.

Marvin Duncan, guard, who previously was reported dead, was found alive locked in a cell in cell house No. 3 with a bullet in his back.

Two other guards, O. A. Earl, 60, and Lawrence Roche, 25, once reported dead, were found alive. At least ten guards and police officers were wounded. The 1200 convicts will have to be housed in tents until the penitentiary is rebuilt.

Canon City, Colo., Oct. 4.—A definite end of the prolonged and chaotic prison riot at the Colorado state penitentiary came early today, just after a crisp gray dawn broke over the mutiny-racked institution. The besieged convicts, more than 150 of them, walked from cell house No. 3 in orderly fashion, their hands held high over their heads.

The end of the riot came after half a day and a night of fighting, during which guards, held hostage by the embattled prisoners, were murdered when their demands to Warden Francis E. Crawford for safe conduct from the prison were refused.

During the riot, dynamite, bargages of machine gun and rifle bullets and

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If your subscription is paid. If it is, you can tell by examining the date on the label. This date shows when your subscription was or will be due. Subscriptions paid during September were very few indeed, but we understand the cause—the grain is not yet harvested and money is very tight. But October should be better, and we do not wish to harass anyone with a little bill like a \$2.00 subscription. We believe most people, as soon as they can spare the money will be glad to pay this small item. We appreciate the difficulties of this season's financing, and have endeavored to say as little about subscriptions as possible. But we expect our delinquent subscribers to "come through" just as soon as they can.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC CROP REPORT

Winnipeg, Oct. 7.—Practical completion of all harvest operations in the west is reported by J. M. McKay, General Agricultural Agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway today. The remainder of the threshing, totalling not more than five per cent of the prairie crop, is being cleaned up and considerable fall plowing and discing has been accomplished in the past week. Fair and warm weather prevails, heavy rainfall would benefit these operations everywhere as well as provide some reserve moisture for next year's crop, the report adds.

Sugar beet digging is about twenty-five per cent completed in Southern Alberta, with an average of 10 to 15 to the acre.

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It is necessary, owing to the number of motorists who persist in driving without licences, that the police be instructed to require the production of these licences from time to time.

This law has been passed in the interests of safe driving, and the production of a licence is the only proof of ownership of one.

Carry your licence at all times and avoid inconvenience and prosecution.

Application cards may be obtained from any Alberta Police Officer, Clerks of the Court, dealers in motor vehicles, or from the postmaster in any town or village and when completed should be forwarded to the Motor Vehicle Branch Office at either Calgary, Lethbridge or Medicine Hat; or to the Office of the Deputy Provincial Secretary at Edmonton.

HON. J. E. BROWNLEE,  
Provincial Secretary.

E. TROWBRIDGE,  
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

## COMMUNICATION

We do not necessarily endorse the statements advanced by this or any other correspondent under this heading.—Ed.

The Editor, Wetaskiwin Times.

Dear Sir:

I want to thank you again for permission to use your valuable space in answering Mr. Hodson, and with this short comment I will close my part of the present discussion.

There are apparently two opposite viewpoints in this discussion. The present law is a good law because it enables every person to secure intoxicating liquor legally and easily. This school of thought seems never to take into consideration the welfare of the individual unit in the betterment of the whole. In other words the policy is directly opposite to the teaching of the old Bible when it says: "Wherefore, if meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the flesh standeth, lest I make my brother to offend."

It is apparently of no interest to Mr. Hodson that 1256 of his brothers are becoming slaves to the liquor habit and thereby ruining their health, dissipating their estate, and interfering with the health and happiness of their families. Again the old Bible, which is the great stand-by back of the followers of Jesus Christ, tells us that: "No apparel, no gold, etc." The Alberta Prohibition Association, the mouth-piece of the Christian Church of Alberta, in its activities to create a better social, moral and spiritual life in our community, looks down underneath results for cause, and there is no hesitation in saying that in the results of the legal sale of intoxicating liquor we find the greatest enemy of the human race. We back this statement by the oft-repeated correct phrase: "More men have died from drinking than from war." When we see helpless children being deprived of the necessities of life from the wastage of money on the part of the father; when we hear of stories of broken homes and broken lives by divorce; and when we hear of unmarried mothers, the spirit of service to the command of our Master develops and grows and breaks into action on the part of His followers.

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For further particulars apply:  
Supt. H. A. CRAIG, Dept. Agriculture, Edmonton.  
Principal F. S. GRISDALE, O.S.A., Olds, Alberta.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of Edward Lincoln Costello, late of Spokane County, in the State of Washington, one of the United States of America, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above-named EDWARD LINCOLN COSTELLO, who died on the 11th day of January, A.D. 1929, are required to file with The Standard Trust Company, of the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, Public Administrator, or with the undersigned solicitors, by the 12th day of November, A.D. 1929, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the Deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to its notice.

Dated the Fourth day of October, A.D. 1929.

ODELL & RUSSELL,  
Solicitors for the Administrator.  
23-1th Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

### NOTICE

### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF WETASKIWIN

Between Clarence H. Loughheed, Edgar D. Loughheed, and Edmund Taylor, Executors of the Estate of Sir James A. Loughheed, Deceased, all of the City of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, Plaintiffs.

And Yee Tong Tai and Yee D. Tong, Defendants.

To Yee Tong Tai and Yee D. Tong: Take notice that the Executors of the Estate of Sir James A. Loughheed, deceased of the City of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, have commenced an action against you in the District Court of the District of Wetaskiwin, by Statement of Claim dated the 4th day of September, A.D. 1929, wherein the said plaintiffs claim inter alia specific performance of an Agreement for Sale between the said executors and yourselves; which Agreement for Sale was made on or about the 5th day of May, A.D. 1925 and covered lot six (6) in Block one (1) Plan M. of the City of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta; and you are hereby notified that the plaintiffs may enter such judgment as according to the practice of the court they are entitled to, unless within twenty days from the 10th day of October, A.D. 1929, you cause to be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court, either a Statement of Defence or Demand of Notice, and unless within the same time a copy of your Statement of Defence or Demand of Notice be served upon the plaintiffs or their solicitors.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 1st day of October, A.D. 1929.

McLAWS, REDMAN, LOUGHEED & CAIRNS,  
Calgary, Alberta.  
23-1th Solicitors for the Plaintiffs.

### PUBLIC SALE OF LAND UNDER THE TAX RECOVERY ACT 1929

Municipal District of Bigstone No. 459

Take notice that under the Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the following lands will be offered for sale, by public auction, at the Municipal Office at Falun, Alberta, on Tuesday the 15th day of October, 1929, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Lot of Sec. Two, Rge. M. Acres

N.E. 17 47 25 4 160

S.E. 17 47 25 4 160

N.W. 12 47 25 4 160

S.E. 28 47 27 4 160

The above lands will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid and the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title. Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to the date of sale.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

Dated at Falun, Alberta, this 13th day of August, 1929.

T. S. STEEDMAN,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

Copy of advertisement appearing in The Alberta Gazette, issue of August 31st, 1929. 23-1th

### SEALED TENDERS

addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for new Federal Building, Carleton Place, Ontario," will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, October 29, 1929, for the construction of a new Federal Building at Carleton Place, Ontario.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, or at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

General Bids, Calgary, Alta., the Postmaster, (Cambridge) Alberta and "Pratt" P. Morris, Architect, 12112-10th Avenue, Edmonton, Alta.

Blue prints can be obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, by depositing an accepted bank cheque or the sum of \$20.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 p.c. of the amount of the tender. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will also be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,

E. M. O'BRIEN,  
Secretary,  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, October 2, 1929. 23-2th

## Artists in British-Canadian Concerts



Florence Hood



Mary Frances James



Stanley Maxted



Radolph Plamondon



Hart House Quartette

Brilliant entertainers are to be heard this fall and winter in a nationwide chain of musical centres throughout the Dominion, sponsored by the Canadian Pacific Railway. They will appear in a series of six concerts, the outgrowth of the Music Festival, now internationally known, which have been staged by the Music Department of the railway. Each of these concerts will be given at Toronto, Winnipeg,

Regina, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria with a probability of other cities being added to the list. Among those now taking part in these concerts will be Florence Hood, brilliant Canadian violinist; Mary Frances James, lyric soprano of Montreal; Stanley Maxted, Montreal tenor; Radolph Plamondon, Canadian-born star of the Paris Opera; and the Hart House Quartette, internationally famous as players of Chamber Music.

### NEWSPAPER LAWS

Excerpts from Newspaper Law

printed for the benefit of any reader who may have mistaken ideas regarding same:

1. A postmaster is required to give notice by letter (containing the paper does not answer the law) if the subscriber does not take the paper but of the post office and state the reason for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publisher for payment.

2. If any person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrears or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made and collect the whole amount whether the paper is taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

3. Any person who takes a paper from the post office, whether directed to his name or other, or whether he subscribes or not, is responsible for payment.

4. If a subscriber orders his paper stopped at a certain time and the publisher continues to send it, the publisher is bound to pay for it if he takes it out of the post office. This follows the principle that a man must pay for what he uses.

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The Times asks its readers to make the local news columns their own, to the extent of contributing social and personal items which are of interest.

If you have friends visiting you, there is no nicer compliment you can pay your guests than to take the trouble to see that their names are mentioned in your local newspaper. Call at our phone The Times—our number is 27—or send the item by mail.

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### UNRESERVED Auction Sale

of HORSES, CATTLE, IMPLEMENTS

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instruction to sell by public auction on

N. Half of 21-46-23, West of the 4th Belt, known as the McGrand Farm 4 miles N.E. of Wetaskiwin, on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1929 at 12:30 o'clock sharp, the following:

HORSES—Gray Gelding, 9 years, 1300 lbs.; White Mare, 10 years, 1100 lbs.; Sorrell Gelding, 3 years, 900 lbs.; white face; Bay Gelding, 13 years, 1400 lbs.; white face; Sorrell Gelding, 20 years, 1200 lbs.; white face; Roan Colt Mare; Black Colt Gelding; Chestnut Gelding, 15 years.

MACHINERY—Massey-Harris 3 ft. Binder, Massey-Harris 20 shoe Drill, Massey-Harris Gang Plow, International Gang Plow, Massey-Harris Wagon and double box, Massey-Harris Mower, McCormick Hay Rake, Set 4-Section Drag Harrows, Massey-Harris Cream Separator, Hay Rack.

HARNESS—Set Double Harness, 3 Sets Harness without breeching.

CATTLE—6 Milch Cows and 3 Heifer Calves, 2 red and 1 white; Holstein Heifer.

TERMS CASH

Free Lunch at Noon. Bring your drinking cups.

MRS. MARTHA SCHWAB, Owner.

GEO. L. OWEN, Auctioneer.

ALBERT RODELL, Clerk.

MUN. DIST. OF MONTGOMERY NO. 458

Notice of Preparation of Assessment Roll

Triennial Assessment

1931 to 1934

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the said Municipal District made for the purposes of the Alberta Assessment Commission, has been prepared and will for forty days be open to inspection at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Municipal District from ten o'clock in the forenoon until four o'clock in the afternoon on every day not a public holiday except Saturday, and on that day from ten o'clock in the forenoon until two o'clock in the afternoon, and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name, or that of any other person, upon the said roll, or to the assessment of any property, or to the assessed value placed upon any property, must within forty days after the date of this notice, lodge his complaint in writing with the Secretary-Treasurer of the Municipal District.

Dated this tenth day of October, 1929.

GODFREY BAKER,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

## Household Clearance

Many a prudent housewife has found it profitable to call upon The Wetaskiwin Times' Classified Ads. to effect a Household Clearance Sale.

In many homes there are stored away disused articles of household equipment, sewing machines, baby carriages, go-carts, articles of clothing, furniture and personal belongings, all of which may be quickly turned into ready cash.

By taking advantage of The Times' Classified Ads. a ready market can be developed for all used articles that may have intrinsic value.

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**DISMISS APPEAL TO CUT DAMAGES**

Ottawa, Oct. 5.—After hearing lengthy argument in the Root-McKinney case today, the supreme court of Canada dismissed Root's appeal from the judgment of Justice Boyle of the Edmonton trial court.

McKinney, a pedestrian, was struck by Root's automobile and subsequently awarded \$3,500 damages. In dismissing the appeal, which was for a reduction in damages, Chief Justice Anglin assessed damages against Root.

The accident from which the appeal of George F. Root arose occurred

in Wetaskiwin on August 5, 1926. The statement of claim filed in the supreme court of Alberta prior to the first hearing stated that the plaintiff, Richard McKinney, was walking along Court House avenue at the time. As there was no sidewalk he walked on the right side of the road, proceeding north.

The defendant Root was driving in the same direction in the evening in question which was said to be dark and misty. McKinney was keeping to the right in order to avoid a car approaching from the north and while walking he was struck from behind by Root's car. As a result of the accident the plaintiff was seriously injured and claimed to have since been unable to perform many duties which he had in the past depended upon for a living, as a result of a spinal injury sustained. He was a farm laborer.

The first hearing was before Mr. Justice Boyle in the supreme court of Alberta and damages in the sum of \$3,500 were awarded McKinney. This judgment was later sustained in the appeal court of Alberta and the supreme court of Ottawa Friday also concurred in the judgment.

Howatt and Howatt of Edmonton were solicitors for McKinney and Odell and Russell of Wetaskiwin acted for Root.

The Times thoroughly covers Wetaskiwin an district. Advertising in it reaches practically all the people who shop in Wetaskiwin.

"Why, your heart sounds like a drum beating," said a girl to her new fellow.

"Yes—or—that's the call to arms," he replied.

**MRS. MCKINNEY HEADS W.C.T.U.**

Mrs. L. McKinney was elected president of the Alberta W.C.T.U. on Thursday morning in the Church of the Nazarene, where the annual convention is being held.

The other officers were: Vice-president, Mrs. William White of Nanaimo; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. F. Knight, of Macleod; recording secretary, Mrs. M. L. McPherson, of Holden; treasurer, Mrs. J. I. Poole, of Wetaskiwin, and secretary, Mrs. F. G. Grevelt, of Calgary. Reports given at the morning session included those on statistics and flowers, fruit and delicacies, by Mrs. W. Worth, of Medicine Hat; systematic giving, by Mrs. Bruce, of Lethbridge; travelers' aid, by Mrs. R. Cunningham, of Didsbury; parlor meetings, report sent in by Dr. E. M. Sharpe of Lacombe, read by Mrs. McArthur; Sunday school work, Mrs. J. E. Nix; White Ribbon tidings, Mrs. A. E. Cook, of Edmonton, and Little White Ribbons, Mrs. McElroy.

**GRAIN COMMISSION JOB**

General rumour has it that Mr. S. G. Tobin, former member for Wetaskiwin, is being offered the appointment of deputy grain commissioner for Alberta.

The grain trade in its various aspects has undoubtedly been a subject of interest to Mr. Tobin for many years, both in parliament and out. He devoted a number of his speeches in the federal house to the subject and toured the province of British Columbia some years ago enlisting co-operation in bringing about reduced freight rates westward, on grain and other commodities. He strongly advocated in the house of commons the reductions in freight rates on grain over the northern branch of the C.N.R., a matter which has lately been brought about. The question of grading of grain is another point that he has given a good deal of thought and attention.

If Mr. Tobin accepts the position he will without doubt fill it in a satisfactory manner and his appointment would be a popular one. It would also mean that he would return to Alberta to reside.—Leduc Representative.

Over 4,000 head of sheep are entered for the sale held under the auspices of the Lethbridge Exhibition Board. The first of these will enter the auction ring at 10 a.m. Thursday, October 3.

The Times' subscription list is open at all times for inspection by its advertisers. Remember this when you wish to advertise.

**DIGESTIVE ORGANS Completely Poisoned By Bad Teeth**

Mrs. W. H. Lambert, Lamberville, N.B., writes: "I must say that B.B.B. saved my life. My trouble was indigestion caused by bad teeth. My digestive organs were completely poisoned, as well as my whole system. I had the teeth extracted, but the trouble was still left. Having read what

**BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS**

had done for others I decided to try it and the result was amazing. I cannot praise it too highly.

Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

**Neighborhood NEWS**

**WINFIELD**

Eleven inches of snow fell in the Winfield district last week.

Farmers are busy at work threshing and the grain is turning out well. There is lots of moisture for a start next year.

Mr. Woodbridge has bought the garage at Winfield. He is a good man and should do well.

The telephone line is extended from Winfield to Pondryl. It will mean a lot to the Buck Lake settlers.

Two Winfield Trading Company have built a better shop at Winfield. We have not seen a mouse since.

Michael Taylor also has a butcher shop. The dogs in Winfield are getting less and less.

The Winfield school, after a lot of fun, is completed at last, and next Saturday we will wait the girls around on the hardwood floor grown in the Winfield district.

George Jefferson is clerking at the store. He is a good clerk, but one girl got him rattled last week. George sold the girl 5 lbs. of onions for 5 lbs. of apples. He knows his onions.

The Athletic Club is no more. It is really too bad. The boys had good times together and quite a few were very good with the mitts.

**Here and There**

(400)

The Canadian Chambers of Commerce who have been making a tour of western Canada, has reiterated its previous stand in favor of a continuance of assisted emigration of selected British settlers of a desirable type. A report of the national committee on immigration, under the chairmanship of George W. Allen, K.C., of Winnipeg, which has made an exhaustive survey of the situation, has been presented and accepted.

Expressing the firm conviction that China was desirous of obtaining foreign capital and that it held no sympathy for Bolshevism, Tsung Chi one of the Chinese delegates to the recent International Postal Congress at Geneva, reached Quebec recently on S.S. Empress of Scotland, en route for Shanghai.

Back from a six weeks' inspection trip in the United States and western Canada, W. R. MacInnes, Vice-President, and George Simpson, Freight Traffic Manager, Canadian Pacific Railway, said that tourist traffic to Vancouver, Victoria and the Rockies showed very promising results for the year. They emphasized that there was no feeling of pessimism in the Prairie Provinces.

It is expected that His Majesty King George, or His Royal Highness Prince of Wales, will travel the Vimy War Memorial in 1932, stated Brigadier-General T. H. Hughes, of Victoria, chief engineer of the Canadian Battlefields Memorial Commission in France and Belgium, interviewed on S.S. Montroyal on his arrival in Canada recently.

"We manufacture 15 million pieces of toilet paper per day in Great Britain, but not enough of it comes into Canada and we are seriously considering the opening of a Canadian factory to cater direct to the Canadian people," said Sir Harry MacIntosh, head of the famous British brand. He is of the same name interviewed on his arrival aboard S.S. Duchess of Bedford at Quebec recently.

One of the most beautiful and costly displays in the recent Exhibition at Toronto was the exquisite diamond replica of the latest Canadian Pacific Hotel, the Royal York, in Toronto. To build this miniature which was valued at over \$300,000, more than 15,000 Ellis faultless quality diamonds were utilized. These were mounted on a framework of satin wood covered with the finest wax. The miniature was drawn true to scale and measured 15 inches high by 12 inches broad.

The farm of James H. Walker, at Raymond, Alberta, of which 70 acres were sown to Kharkeov wheat, yielded 2,800 bushels of 40 bushels to the acre, says the Lethbridge Herald. This particular crop was produced on a summer fallow field. The farm is diversified and rotates the sugar beets do well on it and there is a flock of 1,000 sheep to help keep it in shape.

In a summary of the wheat situation the Manitoba Free Press points out that what is grading so high this year as to offset to a considerable degree the shortage in the crop. "Western Canadian wheat," it says, "has never reached such high prices before. The protein content of samples so far checked grade the highest that the West has known since the practice of testing for protein was inaugurated."

**DRY CLEANING PRESSING REPAIRING**

AGENT FOR "DRESS-WELL" CLOTHING

**N. PAGE**

Opposite Times Office

**UNION OF CHURCHES CONSUMMATED IN SCOTLAND**

The members of the respective general assemblies met in their own assembly hall this morning, and, headed by their moderators, marched two abreast to St. Giles' cathedral. They met at the junction of Bank street and High street, and, now four abreast, proceeded down the Royal mile to the cathedral. There the thanksgiving service was held.

The assembly hall was transformed into a scene of great beauty and dignity for the celebration of the act of union. Formerly it was a motor car garage, but today it held 15,000 persons who represented all aspects of Scottish life, and all the Christian churches of Europe and the dominions.

Intense emotion made dramatic the signing of the Act of Union by the moderators. By this act, the churches became merged into the Church of Scotland. Rev. Dr. John White, of Glasgow, had the honor of becoming the first moderator of the new and greater body.

A message from the King conveyed the earnest hope that his beloved Church of Scotland would henceforth be even more abundantly blessed in her labors. The Duke of York, Lord High Commissioner, who was accompanied by the Duchess, said he conveyed the full assurance of His Majesty's interest in and love for the Church of Scotland, and of his determination to uphold the cause of Presbyterian government in Scotland.

An old farmer made a trip to the city and decided to startle the wife by appearing in brand new raiment. To save wear on the new suit he placed it in the back of the wagon. A few miles from home he took off his old clothes and tossed them off a bridge into the river.

He was surprised to see that the new clothes had dropped out of the wagon.

"Giddap, Maude," yelled the old man, pulling down his shirt tail as he realized his plight. "We'll surprise her anyhow!"—Rice Owl.

Little Willie: Father, the thermometer has fallen.

Father: Very much?

Willie (sheepishly): Oh, about five feet.

**Head Colds relieved with vapors**

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During that period 20 out of every 100 men of his age have died; failures and reverses have ruined many more.

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## ANGUS THEATRE

FRIDAY, 8 P.M. SATURDAY, 7:30 and 9:30 P.M. Oct. 11 and 12

LON CHANEY in  
"THUNDER"A drama of the railroad with the man of a thousand faces giving us the best performance of his screen career.  
Snappy Comedy and Sport

MONDAY, TUESDAY, 8 P.M. October 14 and 15

## "THE CANARY MURDER CASE"

A Paramount mystery melodrama, psychology is resorted to in the solving of the murder and the identity of the murderer is never suspected until the end. Comp. and see this picture from the beginning.  
Comedy and News

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, 8 P.M. October 16 and 17

GARY COOPER and LUPEZ VELEZ in  
"THE WOLF SONG"A story of the West in the days of 1840. It deals with the hero and the "David and Jonathan" friendship which existed between pals.  
Two Snappy Comedies

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

(A charge of 10c a line, first insertion, and 5c a line each subsequent insertion is made for items appearing under this heading, with a minimum charge of 25c.)

\*\*\*A dance will be held in the Angus Ridge Community hall on Friday, October 11th. Good music and good eats. Everybody welcome. 27-28

\*\*\*See the specialists in the Cooke Drug Store this week.

\*\*\*A dance will be held in the Lone Ridge hall on Friday, October 11th. Music by the Walde Orchestra. Everybody welcome. 25-26

\*\*\*A dance will be held in the Crooked Lake hall on Friday, October 11th. Music by the Walde Orchestra. Everybody welcome. 25-26

\*\*\*The Ladies' Aid of the United Church will hold their annual Bazaar very early in December.

\*\*\*The Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church are holding a Bazaar during the third week in November.

\*\*\*Mrs. J. E. Burckholder is representing the Cooke Drug Company, taking orders for the Personal Greeting Cards. Kindly wait and see the new sample cards.

Grist Your Wheat at The  
Wetaskiwin Flour Mill

To get the most for a few bushels of this year's good wheat have it made into flour

Ten bushels of wheat will make four hundred pounds of flour and about two hundred pounds of bran, shorts and feed flour. We charge only thirty cents a bushel for milling, therefore it pays to grist your wheat.

Mr. GEORGE KELSEY is now in charge of our mill and we can guarantee excellent flour.

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PHONE 3 F. T. KIRSTEIN

## XMAS

With its gift problems, will be upon us before we are aware of the fact. Photographs that are to reach the Old Country before the Christmas mail congestion, should be made NOW. Come in before our lines of beautiful Christmas mounting, just arrived, are broken.

THE WALIN STUDIO  
Wetaskiwin

SEND US YOUR FILMS FOR FINISHING. In the last few days we have received films from Golden, B.C., The University of Alberta, Edmonton, Zelandia, Sask., and Valemount, B.C., just to mention a few of the distant customers who entrust us with their photo finishing.

## Church and Sunday School

IMMANUEL CHURCH

Rev. P. G. Wade, L.T.H.

Sunday, October 13th—Trinity XX.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.

11 a.m.—Holy Communion, and

Sermon.

Monday, Oct. 14 — 8 p.m., Girls

branch of W.A.I. will meet at the home

of Frances Roulston.

Tuesday, Oct. 15—8 p.m., A.Y.P.A.

will meet at the Vicarage.

Thursday, Oct. 17—4:15 p.m., Con-

firmation class in the Church; 8 p.m.,

Choir practice.

Vicarage: Adjacent to church.

Phone 298.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH

Minister: Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.

Sunday, October 13

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon

topic: "Bearing witness for Christ."

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school, special

Rally Day service. The Young People

will meet in the Institute building.

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Ser-

mon topic: "The First Command-

ment."

ANGUS RIDGE SCHOOL.

Sunday, October 13—

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school and public

worship. Rev. A. L. Elliott in charge.

ZION EV. LUTHERAN

(Dickson Ave.)

Rev. Arthur Appel

Sunday, October 13

10:30 a.m.—German.

12 noon—Sunday school.

Thursday—Sunday school teachers'

meeting and Young People meet at the

Parsonage at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday School 9:30 a.m. German

and Religion.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. O. H. Miller, pastor.

Sunday, October 13—

In Wetaskiwin: Sunday school at

10 a.m.; Morning service at 11.

In Svea, Malmö: Sunday school at

2 p.m.; Gospel service at 3 p.m.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH

P. M. Meyer, Minister

Sunday, October 13—

Wetaskiwin: Sunday school at 11

a.m.; Gospel service at 3 p.m.

Nashville church: Sunday school, 11

a.m.; Gospel service, 3 p.m.

Tuesday—Gospel service at the

home of A. Nordstrom, Pigeon Lake,

at 8 p.m.

Friday, 8 p.m.—Young People's

business and devotional meeting at the

Parsonage.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Capt. Johnstone. Lieut. Coxson

Sunday, October 13—

Devotional, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday school, 12 noon.

Evangelistic, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday—Public meeting, 8 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

Evangelists Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cobb

in charge.

Sunday, October 13—

Devotional, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday school, 12 noon.

Evangelistic, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

Friday, 8 p.m.—Young People's.

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The family of the late Mrs. William

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No. 2 Northern	1.22
No. 3 Northern	1.17
No. 4 Wheat	1.14
No. 5 Wheat	1.02
Feed Wheat (approx.)	.73
Barley	.54
Oats	.55
Rye	.84
Hoag	.975
Steers	6.00 to 8.00
Cows	5.00 to 6.00
Butter	8.00 to 9.00
Eggs	45-46
	25-28-18



## NOTICE

An Emergent meeting of Wetaskiwin Lodge No. 15, A.F. &amp; A.M., G.R.A., will be held in the lodge room on Sunday, October 13th, at 12:15 sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Bro. Dr. N. A. Johnson. The funeral cortege will leave Moore's Undertaking Parlor at 12:45 p.m. and proceed to the Swedish Mission Church, Malmö, where services will be held. Interment in Malmö cemetery.

GEO. D. WALLACE, Secretary.

## TRY THIS—ON A FRIEND

Mrs. Horman H. Williams, an ap- arist of Mt. Victory, Ohio, stood like a statue with three swarms of bees weighing about 50 pounds bearing down on her recently, then carried them to a hive without being stung. Mrs. Williams was summoned to settle a swarm of bees that had gathered on the branch of a briar bush. When they had swarmed she cut off the briar and started toward a hive. Another swarm settled down on her left arm. Fearing to move lest the bees sting her to death, she remained motionless while the insects settled. She started for the hive a second time and a third swarm settled on her neck and shoulders. Again she remained motionless for a quarter of an hour until the bees became quiet. Then she took them to the hive and, aided by a "smoker," put the bees safely away.

A little girl who was wheeling her baby brother along the sidewalk was stopped by an elderly man who began to talk to her about her little brother.

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## Neighborhood NEWS

## MILLET

BORN—At Wetaskiwin, on Sunday, October 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferriault of Millet, a son.  
BORN—On Thursday, October 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mooney, of Millet, a son.

Miss A. Smith, teacher at West Liberty, spent the week-end with Miss Ruth Wright.

## LONE RIDGE

A meeting of the Lone Ridge U.F.A. will be held in the hall on Tuesday, October 15th, at 8:30 p.m. A speaker will give an address on an important subject.

## BORN

NOWELL—On the 7th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. John Nowell, a daughter.  
SHEILL—On the 8th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schell of Bear's Hill, a daughter.

## CORRECTION

In the W.C.T.U. notes last week, "only three out of 500 voted for the continuance of the beer parlor," should have read "Three out of 500 voted to back up the request of the U.F.A. to the Federal Government to take steps at once to abolish the beer rooms."

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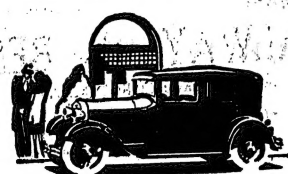
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